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STATE OF ILLINOIS ILLINOIS COMMERCE COMMISSION

COUNTY OF LaSALLE, ILLINOIS, DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS and CITY OF STREATOR, ILLINOIS, Petitioners, v.)))) No. T04-0069
BURLINGTON NORTHERN AND SANTA FE RAILWAY COMPANY and STATE OF ILLINOIS DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION, Respondents.	DECETWES NOV 2 4 2004 Illinois Commarce Commission RAIL SAFETY SECTION
Petition for an order of the Illinois Commerce Commission authorizing the replacement of the structure where E. Broadway Street goes over the tracks of the Burlington Northern Santa Fe Railway Company and the SB Warehousing, Inc. in Streator, LaSalle County, Illinois apportioning costs thereof and directing an appropriate portion thereof to be borne by the Grade Crossing Protection Fund.	

THE BURLINGTON NORTHERN AND SANTA FE RAILWAY COMPANY'S FIRST SET OF INTERROGATORIES DIRECTED TO PETITIONER LASALLE COUNTY, ILLINOIS

Now comes respondent, The Burlington Northern and Santa Fe Railway Company ("BNSF"), by its attorneys, Kenneth J. Wysoglad & Associates and pursuant to 83 Illinois Administrative Code §200.360(c) propounds the following interrogatories to be answered under oath by petitioner, LaSalle County, Illinois within twenty-eight (28) days of service hereof:

State the full name, business address, title and/or position of the person or
persons signing these answers to interrogatories and the name, business
address, title or occupation of all persons who were consulted or who
provided information in response to any of these said interrogatories.

ANSWER:

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2. State all sources of funding to be utilized by petitioners for all aspects of the removal of the existing East Broadway Street overpass structure and its replacement with another vehicular overpass structure as set forth in paragraph 2 of petitioner's petition, including but not limited to funding for demolition, preliminary and final engineering, land acquisition and construction.

ANSWER:

3. Has petitioner, County of LaSalle, Illinois and/or petitioner, City of Streator applied for Federal-aid funding for any portion of the cost associated with removal of the existing East Broadway Street overpass structure and/or its replacement as referred to in paragraph 2 of the petition. If yes, please state:

- a. When application for Federal-aid funding was made by petitioner,
 LaSalle County, Illinois and/or petitioner City of Streator;
- b. Whether any such Federal-aid funding application has been approved;
- c. If any such Federal-aid funding application has not been approved, please state the status of such Federal-aid funding application.

ANSWER:

KENNETH J. WYSOGLAD & ASSOCIATES

Michael L. Sazdanoff

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PROOF OF SERVICE

Michael L. Sazdanoff, being first duly sworn on oath, deposes and says that on the day of NOVEMBER, 2004, he caused to be served, a true and correct copy of THE BURLINGTON NORTHERN AND SANTA FE RAILWAY COMPANY'S FIRST SET OF INTERROGATORIES DIRECTED TO PETITIONER LASALLE COUNTY, ILLINOIS upon:

Mr. Lawrence J. Kinzer
LaSalle County Highway Department
P.O. Box 128
1400 North 27th Road
Ottawa, IL 61350

Mr. Ray Schmitt Mayor, City of Streator 204 S. Bloomington Street Streator, Illinois 61364-2903

Ms. Pamela K. Leonard Clerk, City of Streator 204 S. Bloomington Street Streator, Illinois 61364-2903

Mr. Victor A. Modeer, Director of Highways ATTN: Mr. Jeff Harpring Illinois Department of Transportation 2300 S. Dirksen Parkway, Suite 205 Springfield, IL 62764

Mr. Henry Humphries
Railroad Staff
Illinois Commerce Commission
527 E. Capitol Avenue
Springfield, Illinois 62701

by depositing same in the U.S. Mail depository located at Adams and Clinton Streets, Chicago, Illinois in an envelope(s) with first-class postage, prepaid.

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